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25X1C U-2 [REDACTED] MISSION C218C

JUSTIFICATION

This mission is in response to the USIB requirement for photographic coverage of high priority targets along the Formosa Strait. The 303 Committee has approved two photographic missions for the month of November 1968. This U-2 aircraft [REDACTED] will remain 20 NM off the Communist China mainland.

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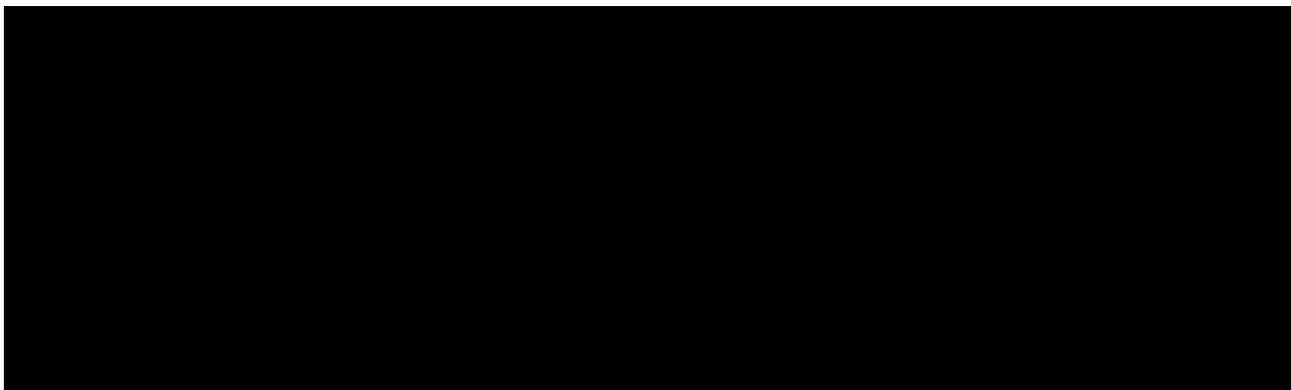
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TARGET DATA

This mission has been designed to cover 38 COMIREX targets within the Formosa Strait. These COMIREX targets include five airfields, ten naval facilities, six radar facilities, thirteen military complexes, one city complex, one cruise missile site, and two coastal defense sites.

PREVIOUS COVERAGE

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TARGETS

<u>ITEM NO.</u>	<u>COMIREX NO & NAME</u>
1	Huaniao Island
2	Hu Niao Shan Possible Army Bks.
3	Lo Hua Island
4	Kouchi Island
5	Kou Chi Shan Possible Army Barracks
6	Chen Chien Shan Army Bks.
7	Ssu Chiao Island Army Bks.
8	Kuan Chuang Tsun Shipyard
9	Liu Heng Army Bks. E.
10	Nan Chiu Shan Probable Cruise Msl/Coast Defense Site
11	Lu Chiao A/F
12	Pu Men Cheng Possible Electronics Site
13	Pu Men Chang Naval Installations
14	San Sha Naval Facility
15	Tinghai Radar Site
16	Lung Tien Airfield (Fu Ching)
17	Pei Ling Peninsula Cruise Missile Site
18	Hui An A/F
19	Liu-Shui Probable Coastal Defense Site

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TARGETS

<u>ITEM NO</u>	<u>COMIREX NO & NAME</u>
20	Hui-An Army Bks. WSW
21	Ping Tan Naval Base
22	Ching Yang A/F (Chin Chiang)
23	Ta Chiu Sigint and Radio Commo Site
24	An Hai Army Barracks
25	Chiang Tsui Kou Army Bks.
26 25X1D	Nan An Army Bks.
27	Tseng Tao Army Bks. NE
28	Tung-An Army Bks.
29	Hsia Men AW Radar Facility
30	Hsia Men Naval Base and Port Fac. (Amoy)
31	Hsia Men (Amoy) Complex
32	Chang Chi Army Bks. S.
33	Shan Tou AW Radar Facility
34	Shan Tou Airfield, NE
35	Shan Tou Army Bks. Lien Tang
36	Shan Tou AW Facility
37	Shan Tou Naval Base
38	Hai Men Shipyard Shan Tou

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OPERATIONAL DATA

DISTANCE : 1535 NM
TIME : 4+20
T/O FUEL : 1020 GALS
HI CONE : 200 GALS
PROFILE : MAX ALT
TAKE OFF TIME : 0200Z 10 November 1968
2100 9 November 1968 Wash., D.C. Time

VULNERABILITY ESTIMATE

No confirmed operational surface-to-air missile sites are known to be within lethal range of the flight path. Although the mission aircraft will come within range of several MIG-21s it is believed that these MIGs will pose no threat as long as the mission aircraft remains 20 NM from the Mainland. In the past the only time an intercept over water was attempted by the ChiComs was during a time of crisis such as the Formosa Strait crisis of 1958.

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This IDEALIST mission as planned herein is approved.

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COORDINATION MESSAGES

1. Request for NPIC to search track for SAM sites. (1)
2. NPIC's report of the search of latest photographs available along the mission route for SAM sites. (2)
3. 
4. 
5. Mission details coordinated with JRC/JCS. (5)
6. Intelligence summary of AOB, ROB, and SAM OB in the area of the mission. (6)

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